

FISCAL NOTE

SB 1898 - HB 2226

February 18, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires medical malpractice rates to be reviewed and approved by the Commissioner of Commerce and Insurance and specifies standards for the approval or disapproval of such rates.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

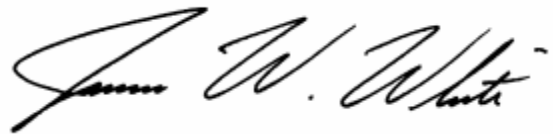
**Increase State Expenditures - \$65,300 Recurring
\$3,700 One-Time**

Assumption:

- An increase in state expenditures for one position and related operational expenses to review rate filings.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" and last name "White" clearly legible, and "W." in the middle.

James W. White, Executive Director

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